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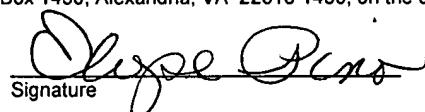
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed October 11, 2005, Applicants hereby provisionally elect the claims of Group I, which correspond to claims 1-52 and 127, drawn to a boot with two lacing zones, classified in class 35, subclass 50.1, with an accompanying traverse.

**REMARKS**

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on October 11, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration. The Examiner has set forth a restriction requirement including claims 1-52 and 127 in Group I, drawn to a boot with two lacing zones each with one lace and lace lock, claims 53-75 and 127 in Group II, drawn to a boot with lace guides and a release strap, claims 76-116 and 127 in Group III, drawn to a boot with lace guides, and claims 117-126 in Group IV,